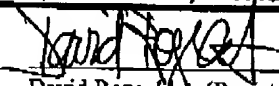
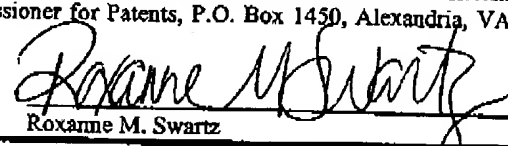


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TOTAL CLAIMS	20	20	0	<input type="checkbox"/> x \$9.00 <input type="checkbox"/> x \$18.00	\$0	
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0	
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<input type="checkbox"/> The amount of \$_____ for the Terminal Disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321 is included in the enclosed check.						
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.						
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT						
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